

South Dakota Voices for Children:

advocating for our children ...

healthy, educated, safe.

Our mission is to improve the lives of children
through policy and program advocacy.

For more information, visit our website
at www.sdvoicesforchildren.org.

Non-Profit Org.
U.S. Postage
PAID
Permit No. 7696
Sioux Falls, SD

*Dear Friend of Children
please help us get the word out by
giving this form to a teen that
you know
Postmark or fax deadline is Friday
March 23, 2012*

"We're looking for a diverse group — from
urban, rural and reservation communities, with
a variety of school experiences — public,
private, home-schooled. The diversity of
this group is what really makes it
effective in providing
a voice for youth across the state."

Dr. Susan Randall, Executive Director
South Dakota Voices for Children

SO...

if you're willing to speak out for
the youth of South Dakota,
If you're interested in making
our state a better place for its kids,
send in your application today.

for additional nomination forms, visit our website at

www.sdvoicesforchildren.org

or call 605 367-9667

A Member of
Voices
FOR AMERICA'S CHILDREN

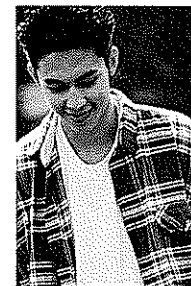
808 N. West Avenue
PO Box 2196 • Sioux Falls, SD 57101-2196

Voices
for children

2118*10*****AUTO**3-DIGIT 574
ATTN: SCHOOL COUNSELOR
Hoven High School - 01
PO Box 128
Hoven SD 57450-0128

calling all teens!

are you?
willing to be a
VOICE for
children



**SOUTH
DAKOTA**
Voices
for children

become a leader.
become a
youth
advocate.

youth advisory council 2012

call for applicants



youth advisory

youth advisory council
call for applicants

council application

2012

Attach additional pages, if necessary.

Applicants must be entering 9th, 10th or 11th grade in fall 2012.

name _____ date of birth _____ gender _____

mailing address _____

city/town _____ state/ZIP code _____

e-mail address _____ telephone _____

your school _____ grade this fall (2012) _____ city/town _____

1. Why do you want to be a member of South Dakota Voices for Children's Youth Advisory Council?

2. List your interests, activities (such as sports, music, clubs, volunteering, etc.) and/or employment over the past three years. For each activity, indicate the length of involvement and any special responsibilities, such as being an officer.

3. What strengths and/or unique experience would you bring to the Youth Advisory Council?

4. Please list two adult references who are not related to you and whom we may contact by telephone.

A. _____ Telephone _____
B. _____ Telephone _____

Postmark or fax deadline: Friday, March 23, 2012
Typewritten faxes only.

South Dakota Voices for Children, 808 N. West Avenue, PO Box 2196, Sioux Falls, SD 57101-2196 (Fax: 605 335-3836)

be a leader

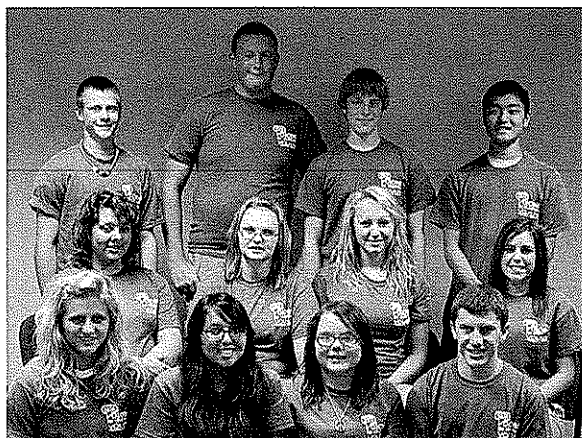
be a youth advocate.

We're looking for teen applicants statewide for
Voices' Youth Advisory Council...

Teen volunteers assist Voices by:

- sharing what youth are thinking,
- advocating on behalf of children,
- participating in activities to promote positive policy change,
- helping to develop Voices' policy agenda,
- attending advocacy-training workshops and other Voices' events.

Youth Council members **must** be available to meet for a two-day summer retreat in June in Pierre, and quarterly meetings held at locations to be announced. While Council members must provide their own transportation to meetings, Voices will provide travel stipends to cover out-of-pocket costs.



youth advisory council 2012

call for applicants